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OUTLINES.

In the insurance investigation in New York yesterday the astounding fact was brought out that two members of the family of President McCurdy, of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, have been paid more than $2,400,000 in the last few years, one of them acknowledging that his income this year will be $110,000; District Attorney Jerome declares that the boodlers will be prosecuted——At Annapolis yesterday President J. Edward Simmons, of the Fourth National Bank of New York, delivered an address in which he raised the alarm that the carnival of dishonesty in high places and its palliation by the masses was endangering the Republic, and that we are falling upon conditions which caused the downfall of Rome and brought on the Reign of Terror in France——The yellow fever record yesterday was discouraging; New Orleans had 28 new cases, Pensacola 18, and Natchez has lost hope of staying the pestilence till frost——President Roosevelt and Congressman Townsend had a conference about railroad rate legislation yesterday and confidence is expressed that Congress will pass the measure——President Ramsey of the Wabash Railroad Company was removed from office yesterday because of his conflict with the Gould interests—Newton V. Dougherty, a wealthy banker, of Peoria, Ill., has been arrested for forgery and embezzlement of hundreds of thousands of dollars of the school fund during 25 years——New York markets: Money on call strong at 6 to 8 per cent., closing bid 6, offered at 6 1-4; spot cotton quiet at 10.40; flour dull and unchanged; wheat steady, No. 2 red 87 3-4 elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 58 1-2 elevator; oats steady, mixed 32 to 33; turpentine quiet; rosin firm.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 5, 1905.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Thursday, October 5th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 64 degrees; 8 P. M., 71 degrees; Maximum, 81 degrees; Minimum, 57 degrees; mean, 69 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, .00.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Wednesday 1.9 feet.

PORT ALMANAC—Oct. 6.

Sun Rises	5:59 A. M.
Sun Sets	5:38 P. M.
Day's Length	11 hrs. 50 min.
High Water at Southport	2:05 A. M
High Water at Wilmington	4:35 A. M

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Friday; Saturday rain; variable winds becoming north to northeast probably increasing Saturday.

Some of our esteemed contemporaries are publishing "before taking" pictures of Mayor Waddell.

The South Carolina counties seem to be running over each other to change from dispensary to prohibition. The Palmetto State is nothing if not revolutionary.

About those trust subscriptions, Secretary Cortelyou keeps quiet in all languages, and certainly any garrulity on Cortelyou's part would make President Roosevelt tired.

A New York man has been arrested for selling his wife to a rich broker for $5,000. He can put in as his defence that he wouldn't have sold her so cheap but he entirely overlooked the insurance magnets and their syndicate "associates."

The comptroller of New York has frankly acknowledge that he can't live on a salary of $15,000 a year. All sports who really know how to keep time from hanging heavy or getting dull, fully realize that they can easily go short on $15,000 if they want to go the whole hog.

Would be Senator Addicks, the Delaware gas man, is huffy because his former henchman Allee refuse longer to support Addicks in his aspirations. A few days ago Addicks said: "I will not serve on a committee with that man Allee as chairman. He is a traitor. He is a Judas Iscariot." No doubt Allee's declaration of what Addicks is would be altogether reciprocal.

The highly esteemed Raleigh Post says: "Secretary Taft says the Filipinos blame the administration for the drought. Great Scott! Are the Filipinos all Populists? That sort of thing sounds wonderfully familiar." This looks like the Filipinos have surely been benevolently affiliated. We are prepared to bet that if Taft had found abundant crops in the Philippines and all the Ladrones had sugar in the gourd and money on the hip, he would have given the Republicans party credit for it in spite of Providence and the industry of the people.

LOCAL DOTS.

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—R[illegible] Marvin Culbreth will be the sp[illegible] at the men's meeting at the Y. [illegible] A. Sunday afternoon at 5 o'cloc[illegible] here will be no meeting for boys [illegible]s morning.

—Mas[illegible] Mason, in "Fritz" and Snitz," at [illegible] Academy last night was probably [illegible]st of its kind seen at the local [illegible]re this season. The house was fairly large and was fairly well convulsed with laughter from the time the curtain went up in each act until it came down again.

—Two handsome Stieff pianos have been kindly loaned by the Stieff Music House, Mr. W. Scott Decker, manager, for use during the W. L. I. bazaar now in lively progress. It was a thoughtful act on the part of the Stieff people to tender the use of the instruments and not only the soldier boys, but the public appreciate the kindness.

—The election of Directors and Trustees of the Y. M. C. A. will take place at 8 o'clock to-night. At 8:30 the newly elected Board of Directors will meet for the election of officers. All departments of the Association are now in active working order and the outlook for the season is very bright. The matter of introducing roller skating in the gymnasium is being considered.

—Only three cases of trifling importance were disposed of by Mayor Waddell in the police court yesterday. Jesse Dudley submitted and paid the cost for an affray. Isham Quick, unlicensed cart, was discharged. Wm. McLeod, colored porter for Sternberger Bros., was bound over to the Superior Court for the larceny of a flask of whiskey from his employers' stock.

—The horse trade between John Pollock and Albert Lamb, both colored, was fully aired yesterday in the court of Justice Bornemann, who held that the swap was conditioned upon both sides being satisfied after the trial of the animals. Lamb was dissatisfied at that decision and appealed through his counsel, Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., to the Superior Court. A. J. Marshall, Esq., appeared for the other litigant.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Case of Fishblate vs. Fidelity Company Still on Trial.

Superior Court was engaged another entire day yesterday with the hearing of the suit of Fishblate against the Fidelity and Casualty Co., of New York, involving the payment of an accident policy for the loss of an eye to the amount of $1,700. It will require half or more of to-day's session to complete the trial at the end of which the Monk damage suit will probably be taken up.

When court reconvened yesterday morning defendant's counsel moved to dismiss the action on the ground that the plaintiff had not made out a case. The motion was overruled and the defendant began the introduction of testimony. Witnesses examined were Messrs. J. H. and S. M. Boatwright, agents in this city for the Fidelity and Casualty Co.; Drs. Geo. G. Thomas, Thos. M. Green, D. W. Bulluck, W. C. Galloway and U. S. Commissioner S. P. Collier. The latter was heard as to an application for a pension by the plaintiff on October 10th, 1903, whereas the insurance policy was issued January 25th, 1904. The purpose was to show that the injury to the eye existed at the time the policy was taken out.

Argument to the jury was opened by Mr. George Rountree, in behalf of the plaintiff. His speech was an able exposition of the law, lasting for an hour and ten minutes. He was followed by Herbert McClammy, Esq., at about the same length for the defendant company. Mr. McClammy's speech was vigorous, incisive and telling. He was followed by Wm J. Bellamy, Esq., who spoke for less time, but with apparent good effect in behalf of the plaintiff. Court took a recess at 6:15 P. M. until 10 o'clock this morning when Iredell Meares, Esq., will close for the company and Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy for the plaintiff. There is much speculation as to the probable result of the suit and the speeches of counsel are being heard by large crowds of spectators.

BARACA CLASS RALLY.

Fine Address by Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell—Other Exercises.

The rally of the Baraca Bible Classes of the city at the First Baptist church last night was largely attended and those fortunate enough to be present were delighted with the exercises. The church was very attractively decorated with palms and other evergreens, Baraca emblems being conspicuous in the decorations. Mr. H. E. Merritt, president of the First Baptist Baraca Class, presided, and seated on the platform were Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., Rev. N. M. Watson, Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., Mr. L. Clayton Grant, lately returned as a delegate from the great Baraca convention in Detroit, Mich., and the guest of honor, the Rev. Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell, D. D., of Norfolk.

The musical numbers were featured by a solo, pleasingly rendered by Mrs. Anne deR. Harris, and a selection by the Acme Male Quartette. Mr. Grant first gave a rather lengthy, but very interesting report of his observations at Detroit and was followed by the speaker of the evening, Dr. Blackwell, who was presented by Mr. Merritt. Dr. Blackwell was heard with infinite pleasure by the large congregation, his remarks bearing especially upon Baraca work and the young men of the church.

Five Baraca classes have now been organized in the city and at an early date a Baraca Union will be formed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Academy of Music—Hazel Kirke.

Business Locals.

Lost—Purse and Money.
Hanover Iron Works—Removal.
For Sale—Hay Press and Mower.

NO FINDINGS AS YET

County Commissioners Still Busy With Investigation of Charges as to Convicts.

REPORT OF THE PHYSICIANS.

Result of Physical Examination of Every Prisoner Confined at Castle Haynes—Testimony of Foreman Hocutt and Guards.

The convict inquiry, as it has now come to be commonly known, was continued yesterday but not completed. The Commissioners, a full Board being present, sat at the Court House from 2 to 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, hearing further testimony touching the alleged cruelty to prisoners and later in the afternoon the investigating board, accompanied by Miss Hannah Shrier, the stenographer, and Dr. McMillan, county superintendent of health, went out to the temporary camp where the convicts are at work on the Market street road.

The feature of the afternoon sitting of the commissioners was the report of the board of physicians, who visited the Castle Haynes camp Wednesday and made a physical examination of every prisoner confined there, the object being to ascertain if their bodies bore any marks of violence or ill treatment either recently or remote. The report was submitted by Dr. Joseph Akerman, surgeon in charge of the James Walker Memorial Hospital who was also present to testify as to other matters. Omitting the enumeration of names the full text of the report of the physicians is as follows:

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 4th, 1905.
County Commisisoners of New Hanover County.

Gentlemen: At the request of Dr. McMillan, we visited the convict camp at Castle Haynes and examined the following convicts: (Names) Each convict was carefully examined and no evidence of violence or abuse found, there being 45 in all.

The condition of the convicts was especially good, all being in good physical condition except two cripples; one old man and one case of chronic malaria. One of the cripples had been a cripple for life, the other injured himself purposely while at the camp. The case of malaria referred to existed before his entrance into the camp and is very much improved. The old man (Frank Bell) is in perfect condition for one of his years. None of these are required to do any hard physical labor.

We wish to especially call your attention to the excellent physical condition of the convicts.

Respectfully,
T. M. GREEN, M. D.
Chairman,
JOSEPH AKERMAN, M. D.
E. J. WOOD, M. D.

Dr. Akerman was asked to supplement the report with any observations he desired to offer. The convict, referred to as purposely hurting himself, had a sore on the ankle and the presumption was that the same had been inflicted so that the prisoner could escape work. The whip, which several witnesses have previously testified was the only instrument used as a means of punishment, was shown Dr. Akerman and in reply to questions, he stated that he thought it would be hardly possible to draw blood with such a flail. Dr. Akerman further said in reply to questions that he had repeatedly visited the convict camp at Castle Haynes during his residence in Wilmington and had always found conditions uniformly good.

Dr. Akerman was then examined as to other facts not covered in the report. Joe Hill, an ex-convict, died at the hospital last July of sepsis, following a leg ulcer, but he was unprepared to say what caused the ulcer. The ulcer was of some weeks duration and could have been brought on by a diseased condition of the veins or by a constitutional disease. The patient came in the hospital late one afternoon and died at 2 or 3 o'clock the following morning. Although he did not make a careful or an extremely critical examination of the patient on account of his condition, he saw no other marks of violence on the body. Asked by Dr. McMillan if the man was a 30-day prisoner and was kicked on the shin the first day he went out to the camp, would it be possible for an ulceration to produce sepsis in 30 days, Dr. Akerman replied that it was possible but highly improbable.

Mr. Preston Cumming, who brought the original charge of cruelty in a sensational letter to the State Board of Charities, was the first witness examined during the afternoon, all the evidence having been under oath. He was shown the strap, admitted to be used as the instrument of punishment, and was asked if he thought it possible to inflict brutal treatment with the same. He said no; a whipping with that would be mere child's play. He judged the tongue of the whip would weigh about six ounces; his information was that the whip used was 4-ply rubber belt, 4 inches wide and as thick as one's finger. The whip shown him there was only one ply and only about two inches wide.

At the outset Mr. Cumming said he knew nothing of the treatment given the prisoners of his own knowledge, but he had heard much from others. Asked for names he gave those of one Teachey, a colored undertaker employed by Mr. W. W. King; Jim Anderson, Alex Mazingo, L. Herring, George Roderick, J. Henry Davis, Ed. Connor, John Watson and others, some of whom had served time on the roads and some of whom he admitted were of bad character. However, Jim Green, a negro cooper, impressed him as telling the truth about reports he had heard. Green's character was good. Asked for the name of the man, who died of gangrene, he said it was "Monkey Joe," and he judged a death certificate would furnish all the evidence required as to cause of death. He learned of the case through Teachey and "Monkey Joe's," mother, Monimia Evans.

Dr. McMillan was next examined and testified fully as to his visits to the camp and that every convict who had ever died at the camp, had been viewed by him and an autopsy had been held in every case where death was sudden. He recited the case of Nathan Walker, who died suddenly after being whipped, but the cause of death was aortic aneurism. Another case of a half witted prisoner was recited. He died of pulmonary aneurism. The latter was required to work only when he felt like it and the guards were instructed not to shoot in case the prisoner should cross the "dead line," it being held that he was not a responsible person. As to the case of "Monkey Joe" and Joe Hill, the latter of whom died at the hospital, Dr. McMillan said they were two separate and distinct people; that he believed "Monkey Joe" was still alive and the grand jury had been confused in the case. Joe Hill died at the hospital after serving his time on the roads. He refused Dr. McMillan's offer to go to the hospital after completing his sentence, but was sent there later, about two weeks afterwards. He staid at his home in the southern part of the city some time after being discharged from the camp. Dr. McMillan described the method of punishment at the camp and said no whips were used until after being first submitted to him.

The examination at the Market street road camp was confined to Foreman Hocutt and W. T. Lockey, a guard. Mr. Hocutt entered a sweeping denial of the charge of cruelty to the prisoners and was very plain and positive in all his answers. He explained the Mazingo incident of being wet in the river and said that he had never whipped a convict in such a manner as to draw blood. No prisoner was ever buried without his body being first viewed by a physician.

Mr. Lockey said he had been a guard at the camp for two years and eight months and had served under both Foremen Hocutt and his predecessor, R. A. Chadwick. He had seen numbers of floggings but had never seen blood drawn; that prisoners were worked no harder, whipped no more severely or treated in any manner differently under one foreman from another.

Dr. Geo. G. Thomas was shown the instrument of torture, so-called, and said that in his opinion serious injury could not be inflicted with the same.

The Commissioners will hear a few other witnesses to-morrow, being occupied with other matters to-day, and will make up their findings as soon after that date as possible.

A type-written copy of all the evidence taken by the Commissioners will be reviewed and a statement given to the public. What the import of the findings will be is exceedingly hard to forecast from the large volume of testimony and its wide variance upon some points.

BRILLIANT DISP[illegible] OF FASH[illegible]

Fall and Winter O[illegible] partment Store [illegible] Rehder & Co—

To the feminine [illegible] fashion all roads and avenues yesterday led to the popular department store of Messrs. J. H. Rehder & Co., the occasion having been the annual presentation of the season's pronounced styles in millinery, dress fabrics, clothing, shoes and novelties. The hours were from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M., with special reception and music by Hollowbush's Orchestra in the evening from 8 to the close of the store. During those hours hundreds of ladies thronged every department of the large establishment and were charmed with the brilliant array of new styles and fancies so attractively displayed for their inspection. Miss Sarah Gardner, the head milliner and corps of nine young lady assistants were busy all day in extending the courtesies of the millinery and work rooms to the visitors all of whom expressed themselves as delighted.

The display of fashionable hats was never more complete in any Wilmington establishment.

Some fascinating models are shown in the green feather hats, and in gilts and trimmings with the Persian effects, which are this season being used extensively. The trimmings are of wide variety, the most striking kinds being laces, feather, gilts, roses, drapery effects, wings and aigrettes. The prevailing colors this season appear to embrace all shades from red to maroon, some of the popular favorites being "Alice Blue" and all grays. Among the predominant shapes are the McIntyre Special, Mushroon Gainsborough, Georgette, John Jones and the Kate Barry.

Mr. E. Clayton Moore was at the head of the decorating force in all departments of the big store and the effect is beautiful. The windows in their order are first, dry goods; second, hats; third, men's and boys' clothing, the famous Kirschbaum line; and fourth, shoes for women and men, of the popular Dolly Madison and the Crawford types.

An exceedingly fine line of dress fabrics is shown in the dry goods department by Mr. Claude E. Moss, the manager. A description of all the new ideas in that department would require much more space than is at command in a general review of all the stock, which might fittingly be closed with the admonition "Go, see for yourself!" The store will be open from 10 A. M. to 7 P. M. and every lady in the city is most cordially invited.

Seats for "The Clansman."

Seats for the two performances of "The Clansman" at the Academy Tuesday will be on sale at Plummer's Monday. The night sale will commence at 7 o'clock in the morning and the matinee sale at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. No person will be allowed to purchase over ten tickets at one time and the first in line will be the first one served. The best seats for the night performance will be $1.50 and the best for the matinee will be $1.

Wait for Gaylord's Fall display, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 10th-11th. Souvenirs given free. **

MERRILY IT GOES ON

Afternoon and Night Whirl of Gaiety at the Light Infantry Bazaar

EVENT FOR THE VETERANS

Mr. J. H. Myrover Addressed His Comrades as One of Features—The Baby Show—Vote For Queen of Carnival.

Despite a number of counter attractions, including an excellent production at the Academy of Music, a lecture by a former very popular Wilmington pastor, a millinery opening and meetings of county and municipal committees, another large crowd thronged the midway of the merry W. L. I. bazaar last night, though the attendance was hardly as large as upon the occasion of the opening.

The afternoon whirl of gaieties was featured by a very successful baby show, which was excellently managed by Mrs. R. W. Price and which drew a very large attendance. The proceeds were more than $40 and every detail of the interesting affair was most enjoyable. Wholesome amusements and delightful refreshments in abundance were provided for all the little folks and the older ones were delighted with what they saw and heard as "lookers-on in Vienna." Mrs. F. A. Lord contributed largely to the success of the afternoon with a programme of delightful music. There were 29 entries for the show and the voting contest for the most popular child was spirited. Master Thomas Wright Northrop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Northrop, captured first prize, a pair of handsome gold pins. His vote was 104 with little William Cantwell Huggins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Huggins, a close second, he having received 100 votes. Master Thomas Wright Northrop received the honor with becoming dignity and graciously presented to his close second, one of the pins received by him as first prize. Third in the contest was the interesting little child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Nash.

Last night was "Veterans' Night" and quite a number of the old soldiers were present in a body and in uniform, joining right merrily into the spirit of the occasion. The exercises on the platform consisted of an exhibition drill by a squad of the W. L. I., in full dress uniform and under command of First Lieut. J. McRee Hatch. The feature of the evening was an excellent address b[illegible]r, of Fayetteville. [illegible]e under difficulties [illegible]l conducted" mid[illegible]early everything el[illegible] those who stood clo[illegible]ention were delighte[illegible] heard, an eloquent [illegible] to the private Conf[illegible]d the just cause fo[illegible]m people fought. [illegible]r. Myrover was a[illegible]ded by the singing of "The Conquered Banner" by Mrs. Anne deR. Harriss, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. A. M. Waddell. Mr. Junius Davis presided at the meeting and Mr. Myrover was presented by Gen. James I. Metts, commanding the Third Brigade, U. C. V. Mr. Myrover spoke for about 25 minutes and was heard with much pleasure by everyone in the sound of his voice. The platform from which he spoke was decorated with Confederate flags and well lighted from incandescents suspended above. Veterans occupied seats on the platform.

Music, mirth and melody ran riot on the merry midway until a late hour last night. All the attractions were in full blast. The country store, the candy booth, the wheel of fortune, the voting stand and the ice cream and cake pavilion, the shooting gallery and all the other various attractions were popular with the crowds and all were liberally patronized, the young ladies presiding over the destinies of their respective departments proving themselves simply irresistible.

The candy booth, in general charge of Mrs. B. J. Jacobs, and attractively decorated in red and white, is proving one of the most popular on the grounds and is yielding, with the possible exception of the country store, the largest net proceeds of any booth on the lawn.

An interesting exhibit last night was a 550-lb bale of the best grade of cotton from the compresses of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, the same being a donation from the firm to the Wilmington Light Infantry. The bale of cotton is easily worth $55 and it will be disposed of at the close of the bazaar to-night. The lucky owner of the bale, after the bazaar is over, will be announced to-morrow morning.

The crowning feature of to-night's events will be the selection of a queen of the bazaar. The voting is in lively progress. The list as furnished by the management at the close of voting last night is as follows:

Miss Lottie Duffy	2,700
Miss Margaret Ashe	2,580
Miss Olivia Horne	1,700
Miss Leta Larkins	1,150
Miss Helen Kenly	710
Miss Lottie Pleasants	600
Miss Marguerite Walker	410
Miss Sue Catlett	330
Miss Katie Grainger	310
Miss Alice Fishblate	300
Miss Bessie Gore	210
Miss Theo. Cantwell	100
Miss Ray Sneed	50
Miss Reba Myers	20
Miss Daisy Burbank	10
Miss Maria Maffitt	10
Miss Lilly Taylor	20
Miss Christine Stevenson	10
Miss Cynthia Rountree	10
Miss Isabel Small bones	10
Miss Lucy Poisson	10

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. T. Liles, of Dillon, S. C., was here yesterday.

—Mr. J. E. Fussell, of Rose Hill, N. C., was among yesterday's arrivals.

—Mrs. H. P. Hevenor, of Whiteville, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Messrs. J. W. Dowless and G. F. Dowless, of East Arcadia, are in the city on business.

—Messrs. J. F. Armfield and D. W. Davis, of Fayetteville, were among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Deputy Insurance Commissioner Scott, of Raleigh, is in the city on official business and called on Fire Chief Chas Schnibben yesterday.

—Mrs. E. K. Lynne, No. 205 North Seventh street, left on the northbound Coast Line train last evening for her former home in New Jersey. On Tuesday, October 10th, Mrs. Lynne begins her work as a representative of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, of this city. Her territory includes the southern half of New Jersey.

—Mayor A. M. Waddell returned yesterday morning from Winston-Salem. The papers of that city publish in full the address delivered there by Col. Waddell upon the occasion of the unveiling of a handsome monument by James B. Gordon Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy. The address is referred to in the highest terms by the press, and Col. Waddell is spoken of personally as one of the most gifted North Carolinians.

COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT.

Regular Monthly Meeting of Auditing Committee Last Night.

The Auditing Committee of the Board of County Commissioners met in regular monthly session last night at the Court House, the entire afternoon having been consumed in the convict inquiry. The only matter of interest at the meeting of the committee was the examination and approval of the regular monthly report of County Treasurer H. McL. Green, which, showed receipts and disbursements during September as follows:

Receipts — Balance general fund, $18,578.84; special fund, $970,17; road fund, $1.85; road sinking fund, $6,623.67; transfer from general to road funds, $15,000; error of warrant, $3.60; property tax, $5.207.95; marriage license, $24.70; back taxes, $175.09; rents, $17.75; County Home, $36.40. Total, $46,640.03.

Disbursements—General to road fund, $15,000; error in warrant, $3.60; outdoor poor, $264,62; Superior Court, $115.45; Public Buildings, $67,59; Roads and Bridges, $101.04; County Home, $312.03; Magistrates, $9.43; stationery and advertising, $28.60; Walker Memorial Hospital, $600; jail, $217.05; tax listing, $450; United Charities, $107; Commissioners, $130; Degister of Deeds, $25,05; Superintendent of Health, $100; Coroner, $37; Constable, $5.60; Clerk, $60; janitor, $45; coupons, special fund, $227.81; warrants, road fund, $2,441.65; Treasurer's commissions, $101.71. Total, $20,451.23. Balance on hand, $26,189.80.

NEGRO SHOT IN STREET.

Saloon Porter Fired on Returning Home This Morning.

Between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning a 'phone message came to the police station from a resident in the neighborhood stating that a colored man had been shot down in the street at corner of Third and Walnut. Police Captain George Smith and Sergeant C. W. Woolard at once responded to the call, but by the time they reached the scene Dr. Bulluck had answered a summons and had bound up the wound, which proved to be in the colored man's foot and of little consequence. The negro's name is John Covington and he works at the saloon of Mr. J. E. Bloodworth, on South Front street. He told the officers he was on his way home when he overtook a party of young white men, who had along with them a negro "Knotty" Payne, a well known character on Princess street. Covington said he spoke to "Knotty" and exchanged some pleasantry when some of the crowd took it up and one of them drew a pistol and fired on him. Then the crowd ran. The bullet went through the thin part of the negro's foot and the wound is not at all serious. No arrests have been made.

Coming of Hazel Kirke.

When thoughts turn to "Hazel Kirke," one, perforce, must think of Effie Ellsler. The two are linked in theatrical history as completely as are Juliet and Mary Anderson. Therefore, in announcing a performance of the splendid, heart-gripping old play at the Academy Monday night it is a pleasure to relate that Miss Ellsler is once more playing her familiar title role. What makes the event of particular interest is that Miss Ellsler will never play in "Hazel Kirke" again after this season. Thus this opportunity will be the last one and playgoers will have a chance to see a portrayal which is one of the classics of the American stage. To surround this farewell tour with the proper integrity, Manager Jules Murry has provided for this revival the finest scenic production "Hazel Kirke" has ever had and has given Miss Ellsler perfect suport. The seat sale commences this morning.

Building Permits.

The following building permits were applied for yesterday: Wm. E. Worth & Co., shed, 15x30 feet in size to be covered with flint coat roofing on applicant's wood yard, on Water street, same to be used for sheltering dynamo from weather. A. C. Skipper, one-story frame building on Nixon, between Sixth and Seventh streets for C. L. Kuhl. Rogers & Thomas, two-story, tin-roof frame building on Ann, between Third and Fourth street for E. P. Bailey. Rogers & Thomas, two-story tin-roof, frame building on Fifth street, between Church and Castle streets, for Jno. Hall.

You have a plenty of time to wait for Gaylord's millinery display, October 10th-11th. **

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WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Friday Morning, October 6.

BOWING BEFORE ROOSEVELT

The New York Times, Independent with a big I, makes this swipe at the Secretary of Agriculture for whom, somehow or other, we can't explain, we have the most kindly feeling:

"Secretary Wilson says that 'the Western people believe in Roosevelt.' Nobody will dispute that. But the Secretary of Agriculture goes a great deal further when he says that 'they will back him up, no matter what he does or what he wants; they are with him on everything.' Mr. Wilson would have us believe that the men of the Western States have surrendered the right of private judgment; that they have ceased to think for themselves; that ideas no longer germinate in their minds. If they will 'back up' the President, no matter what he says or what he wants, his position in respect to them is indistinguishable from that of an absolute monarch whom all his people consider to be infallible. If popular sentiment in the West is correctly described by Mr. Wilson we can dispense with Presidential elections in the future and cable an order to some European purveyor for a throne, crown, and sceptre to be delivered at the White House. Secretary Wilson knows what the hinges of his knees were made for. He has had a good deal of trouble in his department. There has been so much cheating, chicanery, and 'graft' under the very nose of the Secretary as to create the presumption of all-around incompetence on his part. It has been said that the President would ask him to go in order that a more efficient man might be put in his place. Mr. Wilson evidently thinks that if he bows low, flatters hard, and excels in sycophancy he will be able to keep his job. It may strike the yeomanry of the West that he has overdone the thing."

This is pretty hard on Mr. Wilson. The Secretary of Agrieulture has the reputation of being one of your kindly, honest men, and we believe he has been so good-goody and unsuspecting that he let his department get in bad shape, but we don't know but what he is telling the truth about the President's popularity out West. We hear the same from people coming from the North about his popularity there, and it is a fact that in about two weeks North Carolina will also greet him with a whoop and a hurrah. We don't know any special reason why they should but they are going to do it anyhow. The President was indicted for violating our social equality laws but the bill seems to have been withdrawn and Southerners are also getting ready to do the act with those "pregnant hinges of the knee."

GET BUSY WITH THE VAGRANT LAWS.

The other night in Camden, S. C., a prominent business man closed up his store and left for home to join his family who were happily anticipating his coming. His long delay in reaching his home, caused anxiety and a fifteen year old son was sent down town to see what was the matter. While passing along a lonely spot on the street, the youth found his father's dead body. He had been murdered and robbed. Thus a man very dear to his loved ones and notably valuable to his town was ruthlessly slain by some worthless vagabond whose gain at most was probably a few dollars.

The Columbia Record speaking of this deplorable affair says:

"It would not be surprising if the murderer of Mr. McDowell in Camden is the same man who held up Judge Gary in this city. Perhaps this victim resisted, and met his death because of it. We may never know, but there seems to be reason for unusual activity on the part of the police of all cities and towns in the State. A dispatch was sent out from Charleston the other day to the effect that a number of 'yeggmen,' a notorious combination of thieves and murderers, were coming to the South. Maybe some of them have already arrived, but in any event forewarned is forearmed and police officials ought to be particularly active and vigilant."

It is about the time of year for straying vagabonds to be on their way from the North to the South, and if there is to be any influx of this gentry, as is mentioned in the dispatch referred to by the Record, they will pass through North Carolina. They should be given a warm welcome and to begin with every town and community in the State ought to vigorously enforce the vagrant laws.

By the way, Judge Gary who was held up on the streets in Columbia one night about two weeks ago, is a member of the South Carolina Supreme Court. Just before starting home from down town he had been talking about a hold up the previous night. While on his way home he was himself held up at the point of a pistol and robbed of $25 or $30 and his gold watch.

These incidents are getting right frequent in our Southern cities, and it is about time that a quietus should be put upon thugs who will not only rob but murder.

EVERYTHING.

The October number of Everything, Al Fairbrother's magazine, has been received. It is a handsome publication and contains a great variety of comment on the world's doings—comment that is philosophical, trenchant, beezy and unique. Everything points a moral with phrase that is beautiful, with sentiment that is edifying, and there is no dull page to it. This entertaining magazine is published at Greensboro, N. C., and sells for 10 cents a copy. Newsdealers handle it.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The greatest puzzle in finance today is to distinguish high finance from grand larceny.—Portland (Me.) Argus.

—The Republicans are beginning to realize that "stand pat" is the doctrine of refusing to listen to reason.—Boston Globe.

—There is a whole bundle of truth in this little squib from the Washington Post: "Much that is offered as patriotism is only politics."—Raleigh Post.

—In the battle of life rich men have altogether the worst of it. They are strangers alike to the joy of economy and the blessing of contentment.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

—This alleged discovery that foreign powers have secured State Department secrets through a leak does not jibe very well with our boasted shirt-sleeve diplomacy which has nothing to conceal.—Washington Post.

—A negro who demanded $5.000 from President Morton, of the Equitable, is to be prosecuted. The negro is probably unfamiliar with the New York methods, and did not know that he should have made his application through a syndicate. — Washington Post.

—The well worked out and remarkably interesting communication of Prof. Alexander Graham in yesterday's Observer goes far to establish the genuineness of the alleged facsmile of The Cape Fear Mercury of June 3, 1775. said to have contained the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence of May 20th, published by Dr. S. Millington Miller, of New York, in Collier's Weekly during the past summer.—Charlotte Observer.

—Mrs. Schoff, of Philadelphia, asserts that there is a well-defined Mormon plot to assassinate ex-Senator Frank J. Cannon, who has been exposing some of the perfidy and intrigue of that hierarchical-political machine. Doubtless Mrs. Schoff is mistaken, and underestimates the guile of the Mormon bosses. They will pursue less dangerous and open though scarcely less reprehensible paths to gain the balance of power in national politics, which she rightly assumes that they are seeking.—Albany Argus.

—Dispensary elections were held yesterday in Florence, Horry and Lancaster. The two latter went against the dispensary, but Florence voted in favor, making the first break in the victories of the prohibitionists. It is estimated that when the full returns are in little over a thousand votes will be shown to have been cast in Horry, with an anti-dispensary majority of two or three hundred. Horry, in one primary election, as we recall it, cast about 3,000 votes, if not a little more, and the proportion of those expressing their views is less than that in any county yet voting.—Columbia Record.

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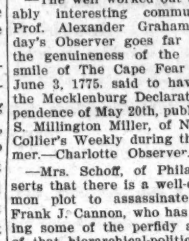

The Amen! of marriage is always a baby. Without it, wedlock is a summer field that never blooms, a flower that never buds, a night without stars, a sermon without a benediction, a prayer without an Amen.

There never was a husband worthy of the name, who did not aspire to be the father and the grandfather of healthy, capable children, to hand down his name and the fortune accumulated by the sweat of his brow, from generation to generation. There never was a wife fit to bear that noble title, who did not wish to wear womanhood's most glorious crown, the sceptre of motherhood. Thousands of wedded couples, otherwise happy, fall short of wedlock's greatest happiness because they are childless. In the majority of cases, this is because the wife, through ignorance or neglect, suffers from weakness and disease of the organs distinctly feminine. For women who suffer in this way there is one great medicine that does not fail to accomplish its purpose. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly on the delicate organs concerned and makes them strong, healthy, vigorous and virile. It allays inflammation, heals ulceration, soothes pain and tones the shattered nerves. It fits for wifehood and motherhood. It quickens and vitalizes the distinctly feminine organism. It banishes the maladies of the expectant months and makes baby's introduction to the world easy and almost painless. In insures the little new-comer's health and nourishment in plenty. It is the best supportive tonic for nursing mothers.

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TWINKLINGS.

—She—Why are so many more engagements made in summer than in winter? He—Because a girl is more apt to melt in summer time, I suppose.—Yonkers Statesman.

—"Who is that striking-looking young man that just came in?" "His face is not familiar, but he's either a distinguished musician or a star football player."—Chicago Tribune.

—Two little girls; aged 5 and 6, were playing together on the beach. "And your papa," queried one, "what does he do?" "Oh, whatever mamma says," answered the other.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—"Doctor," said the man who wanted to work him for a free prescription, "what would you give me for a sore throat?" "Nothing," replied the doctor, promptly. "I don't want a sore throat."—London Tit-Bits.

—"I'm afraid," her father said, "that my daughter would not make a very good wife for a poor man." "But, great heavens," replied the boy, "you don't expect me to keep on being a poor man after I'm married, do you?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

—"Woman just dropped dead in the bargain crush at the ribbon counter!" cried the floor walker, excitedly. "How inopportune!" exclaimed the head of the firm. "Our undertaking department won't be opened until next Monday!"—Catholic Standard Times.

—"How did you like my talk last night?" asked the beginner in the lecture field. "Well," replied the candid critic, "you didn't take advantage of your many opportunities." "I didn't?" "No, you had a number of opportunities to quit before you did."—Philadelphia Press.

—Adam was showing Eve the beautiful sights in the Garden of Eden. "How do you like it, dear?" he asked. "It's too lovely for anything," she said "but I am sorry about one thing." "What is that?" "That I have no friends to send souvenir postal cards to," she answered, with a dry sob.—Chicago Tribune.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 5, 1905.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, firm, 66.

ROSIN—Market firm, $3.40 bid.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPETINE — Market firm at $3.00 per barrel for hard, $4.40 for dip, and $4.40 for Virgin.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady, 52; rosin firm, nothing doing; tar firm, at $1.60; crude turpentine, firm at $2.25, $3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	36
Rosin	105
Tar	51
Crude turpentine	74

Same day last year—Spirits, 34 casks; rosin, 191 barrels, tar 81 barrels; crude turpentine, 37 barrels.

COTTON.

Market—quiet, 10c.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—3,343 bales; same day last year, 2,539 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representaing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 90c.; extra prime, 95c.; fancy $1.00, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 75c.; extra prime, 80c.; fancy, 85c.; Spanish,(new) 80@85c..

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 15 to 16 per pound; shoulders, 10 to 11; sides, dull, 10 to 11.

EGGS—Firm at 17 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull Springs, 17c per 25c.; Grown, 20 to 35.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

PEAS — White, No sales; clay; $1.15@$1.20.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 95@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 1-2@3c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, Oct. 5.—The cotton market was much less active and fluctuations were irregular and comparatively narrow. Closing prices showed a net decline of 5 to 8 points. Sales were estimated at 225,000 bales. The opening was steady at an advance of 3 to 5 points in response to steady cables, reports of firm interior holders and press dispatches claiming very strong conditions in the market for cotton goods. The weather was favorable, however, and with support mainly in the form of covering by shorts for profits, prices soon yielded to a renewal of bear pressure and liquidation, sagging off to a decline of about 2 to 4 points. This was followed by a rally on continued covering and a little demand on the reaction theory, together with rumors that leading bears were covering, but after selling 2 or 3 points above last night's finals on the active months, the market again sagged off under realizing by buyers on the break of yesterday and touched the lowest point of the day in the late trading. The closing tone was barely steady. Southern spot markets were officially reported at 1-8c lower to 1-8c higher, generally unchanged.

Receipts of cotton today at the ports were 40,755 bales against 36,668 last week and 47,379 last year. For the week, estimated 350,000 bales against 293,523 last week and 402,569 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 2,340 bales against 8,852 last year, and at Houston 15,525 bales against 9,925 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 10.40; middling gulf, 10.65; sales 6,569 bales.

Futures opened steady. October, 10.04; November, 10.25@10.15; December, 10.26; January, 10.32; February, 10.38 bid; March, 10.47; April, 10.52; May, 10.56.

Futures closed barely steady. October, 9.93; November, 10.04; December, 10.18; January, 10.24; February, 10.30; March, 10.36; April, 10.43; May, 10.46.

Interior Movement.

Galveston—Quiet, 10 3-16c.; net receipts, 18,371 bales.

New Orleans—Steady, 10c.; net receipts, 2,340 bales.

Mobile—Steady, 9 7-8c.; net receipts, 566 bales.

Savannah—Steady, 9 7-8c.; net receipts, 10,367 bales.

Charleston—Quiet, 9 3-4c.; net receipts, 1,082 bales.

Wilmington—Quiet, 10c.; net receipts, 3,343 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 10c.; net receipts, 4,467 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 10 1-4c.

New York—Quiet, 10.40; net receipts, 5,939 bales.

Boston—Quiet, 10.40; net receipts, 44 bales.

Philadelphia—Steady, 10.65; net receipts, 50 bales.

Miscellaneous — Net receipts, 124 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 40,755 bales; Great Britain, 12,548 bales; Continent, 13,295 bales; Stock, 734,505 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 290,759 bales; Great Britain, 72,839 bales; France, 19,985 bales; Continent, 90,884 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 1,211,814 bales; Great Britain, 261,371 bales; France, 75,053 bales; Continent, 325,765 bales; Japan, 2,359 bales; Mexico, 100 bales.

Port Movement.

Houston—Steady, 10 3-16c.; net receipts, 15,525 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 10c.; net receipts, 4,397 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 10 3-16c.; net receipts, 1,616 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet. 10 3-8c.; net receipts, 45 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 453 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 10 5-8c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, October 5.—Cotton.—Spot in fair demand; prices 8 points higher; American middling fair, 5.89d.; good middling, 5.65d.; middling, 5.49d.; low middling, 5.33d.; good ordinary, 5.15d; ordinary, 4.99d.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and exports; included 9,000 American. Receipts 27,000 bales including 26,500 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed quiet; American middling G. O. C: October, 5.41d; October and November, 5.41d.; November and December, 5.45d.; December and January, 5.49d.; January and February, 5.52d.; February and March, 5.54d.; March and April, 5.56d.; April and May, 5.58d.; May and June, 5.60; June and July, 5.60d.; July and August 5.61d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 5.—Money on call strong, 6 to 8 per cent., closing bid 6. Offered at 6 1-4. Time loans strong, 60 days, 5 1-2; ninety days, 5; six months, 4 3-4. Prime mercantile paper, 4 1-2@5 per cent. Sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers bills at 485.25@485.30 for demand and at 482.20@482.25 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 483@483 1-2 and 486@486 1-2. Commercial bills, 481 3-4. Bar silver, 61 5-8; Mexican dollars, 47.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding, 2s reg.	103 1-2
U. S. refunding, 2s cou	103 1-2
U. S. 3s reg. ex. inst.	103 1-2
U. S. 3s cou.	104 1-4
U. S. New 4s reg.	134 1-8
U. S. New 4s cou.	134 1-8
U. S. old 4s reg	104 3-4
U. S. old 4s cou. ex inst.	104 3-4
American Tobacco, 4s cert	76 3-4
American Tobacco, 6s cert	114
Atlantic Coast Line, 4s	102
Baltimore & Ohio	103 1-8
L. & N. Unified, 4s	104
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	89 3-4
Southern Railway 5s	121
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	98 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	85 3-8
American Sugar Refining	142 1-4
American Tobacco, pfd. cert.	101 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	165 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio	113 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	96 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	57 3-8
Louisville & Nashville	154 1-4
Manhattan L.	165 5-8
New York Central	150
Norfolk & Western	85 5-8
Norfolk & Western, pfd	91
People's Gas	103 3-4
Reading	123
Reading, 1st pfd	92
Reading, 2nd pfd	99
Southern Pacific	69 3-4
Southern Pacific, pfd	119
Southern Railway	36 3-4
Southern Railway, pfd	99 3-4
Tenn., Coal & Iron	88
U. S. Steel	38 1-2
U. S. Steel, pfd	105 1-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	32 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	106
S. A. L., com., ask'd	21
S. A. L., pfd.	45
Standard Oil	666
Western Union	93 1-4

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, October 5.—Confirmation of German purchases of wheat at Duluth and a strengthening effect today on the wheat market here. At the close wheat form December delivery was up 1-4c. Corn and oats at up 3-8@1-2 per cent. Provisions are practically unchanged.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat, No. 2.—				
Dec.	84⅜	84⅜	84¼	84½
May	85⅝	86	85⅝	85¾
Corn, No. 2.—				
Oct.	49⅜	50	49⅜	49⅞
Dec., old	.44⅜	45⅛	44⅜	45
Dec., new	.43⅝	44	43⅝	44
May	.43	43⅝	43	43¼
Oats, No. 2.—				
Oct.	...	...	...	28
Dec.	.27⅞	28¼	27⅞	28¼
May	.29⅞	30¼	29⅞	30¼
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Oct.	...	...	...	14.80
Jan.	12.35	12.35	12.27½	12.27½
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Oct.	7.17½	7.17½	7.12½	7.12½
Nov.	7.20	7.20	7.17½	7.17½
Jan.	6.80	6.80	6.75	6.77½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Oct.	8.55	8.60	8.52½	8.52½
Jan.	6.45	6.47½	6.42½	6.42½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, irregular; No. 2 spring wheat, 84; No. 3 spring wheat, 77 1-2@84; No. 2 red, 83 1-2@84; No. 2 corn, 51 1-4@51 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 53 1-2@54; No. 2 oats, 28; No. 2 white, 28 3-4@29 1-4; No. 3 white, 27 1-4@29; No. 2 rye, 68; Good feeding barley, 36@36 1-2; Fair to choice malting, 45@48; No. 1 flax seed, 96; No. 1 northwestern, 1.02; Prime timothy seed. 3.20; Mess pork, per bbl., 14.80@14.85; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.17½; Short ribs sides (loose), 8.50@8.55; Short clear sides (boxed), 7.87½@8.00; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.30.

NEW YORK PRODUCE

New York, October 5.—Flour dull and unchanged.

RYE FLOUR—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot steady. No. 2 red, 87 3-4 elevator. Options 1-4c net higher. December, 89; May, 89 1-8.

CORN—Spot firm; No. 2, 58 1-2 elevator; options 1-4@1-2c net higher; December, 52 12; January, 50; May, 49.

OATS—Steady; mixed, 32@33.

LARD—Steady. Western steamed, 7.65; refined steady continent, 7.85.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Firm; city 4 1-4; country, 4 1-4@4 1-2.

RICE—Firm.

MOLASSES—Firm.

COFFEE—Spot in Rio steady; mild firm; futures steady, unchanged to 5 points higher.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 3; centrifugal 96 test, 3 58; molasses sugar, 2 3-4; refined quiet.

BUTTER—Firm, unchanged.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Firm, unchanged.

POTATOES—Irish firm; Long Island, 2.00@2.12; State 1.50@2.00; Jersey 1.50@1.85; sweets easy, unchanged.

CABBAGES—Quiet, unchanged.

FREIGHTS—Steady and unchanged.

PEANUTS—Steady and unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Steady with a fair trade. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 19@19 1-2. Prime summer yellow, 25@25 1-4. Prime white, 29@29 1-2. Prime Winter yellow, 29@29 1-2.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Oct. 5.—Turpentine quiet; rosin firm.

Charleston, Oct. 5.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

Savnnah, Oct. 5.—Turpentine firm, 67 3-4; sales 575; receipts, 305; shipments, 154.

Rosin firm; sales 1,251; receipts, 803; shipments, 500. Quote: A. B. C., 3.80; D., 3.95; E., 4.30; F., 4.65; G., 4.65; H., 4.70; I., 4.70; K., 4.75; M., 4.85; N., 4.95; W. G., 5.40; W. W., 5.65.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Schr. Nettie Champion, 423 tons, Lloyd, Philadelphia, C. D. Mafflitt.

Schr. Gen. Adelbert Ames, 452 tons, Dodge, Boston, C. D. Mafflitt.

Dutch str Barendrecht, 2,092 tons, Visser, Bremen via Charleston, S. C., Alexander Sprunt & Son.

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Steamers.

Bertholey (Br.), 2,433 tons, Bride, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Othello (Br.), 2,398 tons, Cox, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

David Mainland (Br.), 1,201 tons, Clark, Heide & Co.

Dora (Br.), 1,106 tons, Goulding, Heide & Co.

Rosewood (Br.), 1,104 tons, Falkner, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Haverstoe (Br) 2,467 tons, Foley, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Scarthoe (Br.), 2,536 tons, Hall, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Barendrecht (Dutch) 2,092 tons, Visser, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Eliza A. Scribner, 357 tons, Dodd, C. D. Mafflitt.

C. C. Lister, 266 tons, Moore, C. D. Mafflitt.

Jno. S. Deering, 450 tons, Gamble, C. D. Mafflitt.

Robert McClintock, 126 tons. Louis, C. D. Mafflitt.

Nettie Champion, 423 tons, Lloyd, C. D. Mafflitt.

Gen. Adelbert Ames, 452 tons, Dodge, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 5, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—111 bales cotton; 10 barrels tar; 40 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—576 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 14 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2,378 bales cotton; 6 casks spirits turpentine; 50 barrels rosin; 25 barrels tar; 10 barrels crude turpetnine.

A. & Y. Railroad—216 bales cotton; 19 casks spirits turpentine; 14 barrels rosin; 14 barrels tar; 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Stmr. Compton—62 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine.

Schr. Missouri—4 casks spirits turpentine; 41 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar; 3 barrel crude turpentine.

Total—3,343 bales cotton; 36 casks spirits turpentine; 105 barrels rosin; 51 barrels tar; 74 barrels crude turpentine.

Plans to Get Rich

are often frustrated by sudden breakdown, due to dyspepsia or constipation. Brace up and take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They take out the materials which are clogging your energies, and give you a new start Cure headache and dizziness too. At R. R. Bellamny's drug store: 25c., guaranteed.

SECRETARY METCALF RILED.

Cabinet Blames His Department for Chinese Boycott.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Oct. 4.—A strong protest will be made by Secretary Metcalf, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, against any modification by the State department of its circular of June 26th, directing the American consuls in China to personally inquire into the truth of statements in Chinese certificates before vizing them. The instructions referred to are known as "the President's circular" in that it was issued by his direction following the boycott established by China against the importation of American goods. It was the principal subject of discussion at yesterday's cabinet meeting which Secretary Metcalf was unable to attend on account of illness. He expressed great surprise to-day upon learning that in his absence the cabinet members present took the position that the regulations of the Department of Commerce and Labor were responsible for the strained relations between the two countries, over the subject of the admission of the Chinese to a greater degree than are the laws themselves.

SQUARE DEAL FOR DEMOCRATS.

President Roosevelt Reverses Stuart in Reducing Employes.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Commissioner Greene, of the Civil Service Commission, had a conference with the President to-day regarding the complaint made sometime ago against Captain J. E. B. Stuart, collector of the port at Newport News, Va., of violation of the civil service regulations. The complaint was investigated by the civil service commission and early in September a report was made to the President on it. It appears that soon after Captain Stuart assumed the duties of his office he dismissed several employes on the ground that there was not sufficient work to keep them employed. He reduced two division chiefs, Edloe Morecock and E. N. Eubank, to the rank of inspector. It was alleged in the complaint that Captain Stuart had been actuated by political motives as all of the men affected by his orders were Democrats. The President has ordered that Morecock and Eubank be restored to their old rank and that when additional men are needed in the collector's office those dismissed shall be employed if they desire their former positions.

TO WEAK WOMEN.

Of Wilmington and Vicinity, We Make the Following Proposition.

"There are hundreds of women in this vicinity who are dragging themselves through life in pain and misery, without vitality, strength or health," said Mr. Bellamy. "They get no happiness out of life and are just in a condition to be attacked by almost any disease. They need a vitality-making and strength-creating tonic.

"Now at our expense we want to ask every such woman in Wilmington to try our cod liver oil preparation, Vinol, which contains in a highly concentrated form all of the medicinal elements of cod liver oil, but no oil or grease. It is delicious to take, creates a healthy appetite, makes pure, rich, red blood and gives strength and vigor to every organ of the body better than any medicine we have ever sold in our store, and when a woman is in poor condition it makes life worth living. When we say 'at our expense,' we mean that if the medicine you buy from us and pay for does not benefit you, we will refund every cent paid us for it."

Miss Mary A. Woodward says: "I think Vinol is the best remedy in the world for a weak, tired, worn-out system. I was just in that condition when I commenced to take Vinol. It gave me new life and energy. I feel well, strong and better than I have for years."

"We can only ask Wilmington women to try Vinol on our guarantee." Robert R. Bellamy.

Special Rates via Seaboard.

Washington, D. C.—American Bankers Association, October 10th-13th. One first-class fare plus 25 cents from all points, selling dates of tickets, October 8th-9th, final limit October 15th.

Chicago, Ill—National Baptist Convention (Colored), October 25th-31st. Tickets on sale October 23rd-24th. Final limit November 5th.

For further information apply to nearest Agent, or address. C. H. GATTIS, Traveling Passenger Agent, Raleigh, N. C. oc6-tf**

Reduced Rates to Fayetteville, N. C., Account Cumberland County Fair.

The Atlantic Coast Line announces rate of one fare plus fifty cents to Fayetteville, N. C., for the round trip account Cumberland County Fair, October 25-27th, 1905.

TICKETS ON SALE October 25th and 26th, and for trains scheduled to arrive at Fayetteville before noon of the 27th, with final limit for return passage October 29th, 1905. All tickets include admission to the Fair Grounds.

For murther information communicate with W. J. CRAIG. General Passenger Agent. oc6 till27**

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Taste the Test

UNIFORMLY good taste is the infallible sign of well-brewed beer!

It demonstrates the use of the very best Barley-Malt, highest grade Bohemian Hops, special culture Yeast and thoroughly filtered Water. The best tasting beer is

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"King of Bottled Beers"

It always tastes the same.

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Orders Promptly Filled by

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Ladies' Skirts,

in all the new styles and colors.

PRICES:

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in all the shapes and colors.

PRICES:

$2.00 to 15.00.

Cloak Dept. 2nd floor—New Store

Ladies' Tailor Made Suits

all new styles and colors.

$4.00 to 12.50.

WORTH DOUBLE.

Ladies' Furs

the largest line in the city.

50c to $15.00.

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We respectfully solicit your deposit. We pay 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly. Your attention is called to our Directorate: James F. Post, Robert R. Bellamy, Duncan McEachern, Isaac Shrier, C. W. Yates, Thomas Wilson, of Cades, S. C., Geo. R. French, Wm. Calder, J. G. Barentine, Wm E. Worth, Joseph T. Foy, of Scott's Hill, N. C., Robert C. DeRosset, Mitchell F. Allen, Martin S. Willard, James H. Chadbourn and Jno. S. Armstrong. . .

Atlantic Nat'l Bank Building.

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We are still reducing prices on all Summer Shoes. Our large and attractive stock of Fall and Winter Footwear is coming in lively now, and we are preparing to take good care of the largest volume of trade we ever had.

Come and see us when you need Shoes, before buying elsewhere.

"Our "C. O. A." System is more popular then ever.

Save your purchase tickets and get some of our Useful Premiums.

We are still giving Beach Tickets Free

62 1-2 steps East from Front on Princess.

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We Preach Quality

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One Iron Safe osler make, good as new, 2,500 pounds. One Herring Marvin Safe, 2,300 pounds. 2 Iron Safes, 1,000 pounds. One Safe, 500 pounds, and several others at low figures. Description mailed. Can be seen at our Store.

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"TIDAL WAVE"

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This brand is the best on the market.

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Has not its equal—try it.

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FLOUR! FLOUR!

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It is Good for that Tired Feeling

Cuban Blossom Cigars

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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We have a constantly increasing number of customers who purchase their Winter's coal supply as they are able. When they have the price, they buy a ton, pay for it, and have it sent home. A little later on them get another ton and so on until their full supply is all in. Doing it this way the weight of the whole purchase is not felt. At the same time they have their fuel supply laid in and paid for ready for use before the Winter comes.

If you cannot order your whole supply at once try this plan. We are as pleased at receiving an order for one ton and give the same attention as one for a large quantity.

Anthracite Egg	$6.50 per ton
Anthracite Stove	6.50 per ton
Anthracite Chestnut	6.50 per ton
Best Tennessee Jellico Lump Coal	5.50 per ton
Best Virginia Lump Coal	5.00 per ton
Wood cut any desired length	1.25 per load

WM. E. WORTH & CO.,

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A girl for general housework? A sewing girl? A woman to wash? A man to attend to your furnace or help around the house?

Or do you want a situation? A room? Board or boarders? To rent a house?

Perhaps you have a house or lot for sale or exchange? Perhaps you want to buy or sell a horse?

You may want to buy or sell a piano, furniture, cameraes, dishes, lawn mower, automobile, bath tub, parrot, dog, curtains, sewing machine, watch, diamonds, jewelry of any description, clock, buggy, shotgun, rifle, stove, tools?

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ANNOUNCES THAT THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT HAS ISSUED ITS CHARTER, AND BUSINESS WILL BEGIN MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH.

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The Murchison National Bank

Of Wilmington, N. C.

Capital and Surplus - - -	$ 475,000
Deposits - - - - -	1,500,000
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Largest and strongest Bank in this section. Do not forget this in opening a bank account. We offer every facility known in conservative and progressive banking.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—"The Great Issue" is a prohibition paper just started in Elizabeth City by Rev. H. M. North.

—A charter has been granted the bank of Jones County, at Trenton, capital stock, $42,500, Thomas D. Warren and other stockholders, to do a commercial and savings bank business.

—A Raleigh dispatch on Wednesday says two more Sophmores at the Agricultural and Mechanical College here have been dismissed for hazing, making four since the term began. The two now dismissed were implicated in the first, hazing as well as the hazing of last week.

—Governor Glenn is urged to go to Maryland and make speeches in the suffrage campaign there. He is asked to speak October 12 and again later. The Governor has informed the committee that after President Roosevelt's visit to Raleigh he will consider the matter of going there to speak.

—Raleigh Post, Oct. 5: Capt. R. E. McKeithan was here from Fayetteville yesterday and presented to the hall of history of the State museum the old Bethel flag. And it will be given a place of honor among the extensive North Carolina Confederate flags already on exhibition there.

—A dispatch from Winston-Salem on Wednesday says: Sam Foy, colored, was run over and killed last night by a train on the Mocksville-Mooresville road. The body was found this morning near the trace in the northwestern part of the city. Both legs were cut off and the body was badly mutilated. It is presumed that he was drinking and lay down on the track.

—The committee charged with bearing a call to Rev. A. R. Shaw of Portsmouth, Va., to become pastor of the Tenth Avenue Presbyterian church in Charlotte, returned Wednesday morning bringing the news that Mr. Shaw has accepted the call. Mr. Shaw is a native of Charlotte and his mother and sister reside there. He has had the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church for several years. The congregation is one of the largest and strongest in the city and has recently completed a handsome new church.

—Raleigh Post, Oct. 5: Edward T. Ballinger, of Greensboro, who is now in Raleigh, received a telegram yesterday morning announcing that his brother, Robert Ballinger, had committed suicide in Greensboro. After receiving this sad news Mr. Ballinger secured a marriage license and last night Miss Annie H. Hagwood, daughter of Mrs. H. C. Hagwood of Raleigh, became his bride. Mr. Ballinger was deeply grieved by his brother's death, but as his marriage had been delayed before the young people decided to plight their lives.

—Evangelist Georgia Stuart, who has been holding a great revival at Durham, left Wednesday for his home at Cleveland, Tenn. He preached to 5,000 people at Durham Tuesday night. In speaking of the donations made him there he said that the largest individual donation ever made him was given by a Durham person, and that person a lady. He said that the lady called at his hotel Tuesday afternoon and presented him with the check. He did not tell the name of the lady nor the amount. It is learned that the check was for five hundred dollars.

—A message from the Big Ivy section of Buncombe county Wednesday afternoon stated that the death of Ellis Maner of that place Tuesday morning was due to accident. Young Maner was found dead in the woods with a gun shot wound in the stomach, and the failure to find the gun that he had started hunting which led those in the neighborhood to suspect foul play. The gun, however, was later found some distance from the body, with one cartridge exploded. It is supposed that the unfortunate man accidentally shot himself and attempted to reach home, when he fell and died.

—A dispatch from Elizabeth City on Wednesday says: Skull and leg bones with fragments of clothing and old shoes were discovered by hunters within 500 yards of the Norfolk and Southern Railroad track, just outside town, in dense woods. The evidence that murder was committed is strong, and it is the opinion of the doctor to whom the significant relict was brought for examination that it was a white man. It is thought by some that it was some tramp who had entered the woods and died either by sickness or suicide, but the body had been thinly buried and had been unearthed by carrion birds or hogs, which confutes such a theory, and the general opinion is that it was the place where some murderer bid his victim. No one was missed at the time the body was placed in the woods, which much have been all of two years ago.

—A dispatch from Norfolk on Wednesday says: N. C. Long, of Chapel Hill, N. C., a former representative for the sporting goods house of Spalding Brothers, and a brother of A. W. Long, professor of English at Princeton University, committed suicide. He left Baltimore for Norfolk Monday on the steamship Georgia and his stateroom was empty next morning with a note to his brother explaining thus: "My dear Ninks, my past year's life has been so full of trouble that I have had another attack of nerves. I can't stand it, so say good night with heaps of love to all. Please bury me where my body is found. (Signed.) "N. C. LONG." Another letter of the same tenor was found addressed to Thomas Long, another brother who is in H. Long, another brother who is in this city seeking further information. Long spent the summer at Virginia Beach for his health. He was twenty-nine years old, unmarried and a former student at Chapel Hill. The statement of the brother is that brooding over losses in speculation was the cause of suicide.

—On Tuesday night the Board of Aldermen of Spencer awarded a $35,000 contract for sewers, street improvements and sidewalks to Mr. C. Markley, of Roanoke, Va., whose bid was a competitive one for the municipal improvements in Spencer. The work on the sewers will be begun at once and pushed to rapid completion and the streets and sidewalks will be constructed as rapidly as possible. In addition to the above improvements a graded school building will be erected at once at a cost of approximately $10,000, for all of which bonds are being sold. A splendid water works system is also being constructed in Spencer, ground having been broken to-day by the Spencer Water Company, which was recently incorporated by H. A. Pressey, F. R. Weller, of Washington, and J. N. Stout and others, of New York. The system will cost $50,000 and will be in operation before the end of the year. Electric lights are also being placed this week and when the improvements have been completed Spencer will be modern in all respects.

Special Rate to Raleigh, N. C., via Seaboard account of the North Carolina State Fair, October 16th-25th, 1905.

The Seaboard announces they will sell excursion tickets from all points within the State of North Carolina, including Norfolk, Portsmouth, Richmond, Petersburg, Suffolk, Franklin and intermediate points in the State of Virginia, account of the State Fair October 16th-21st, for one first-class limited fare for round trip, plus fifty (50) cents for one admission to the Fair Grounds (minimum rate including admission coupon, $1.00).

The rates from the principal points will be as follows:

Portsmouth, Va.	$5.95
Norfolk, Va.	5.95
Suffolk, Va.	5.45
Franklin, Va.	4.95
Lewiston, N. C.	4.45
Rich Square, N. C.	4.45
Richmond, Va.	5.30
Petersburg, Va.	4.70
Weldon, N. C.	3.60
Oxford, N. C.	2.40
Henderson, N. C.	1.95
Sanford, N. C.	1.85
Hamlet, N. C.	3.60
Maxton, N. C.	4.35
Lumberton, N. C.	4.35
Wilmington, N. C.	4.80
Monroe, N. C.	5.85
Charlotte, N. C.	6.15
Lincolnton, N. C.	6.90
Rutherfordton, N. C.	8.45
Hickory, N. C.	6.90
Lenoir, N. C.	7.40

For Military Companies and brass bands in uniform, twenty or more on one ticket the following rates will apply for round trip.

Portsmouth, Va.	$3.55
Warren Plains, N. C.	1.25
Henderson, N. C.	.90
Oxford, N. C.	1.20
Louisburg, N. C.	.75
Franklinton, N. C.	.55
Sanford, N. C.	.85
Maxton, N. C.	2.10
Wilmington, N. C.	2.65
Charlotte, N. C.	3.50
Shelby, N. C.	4.55

The rates for Military Companies do not include admission to the Fair Grounds. Tickets will be sold October 13th to 20th, inclusive, and for trains arriving at Raleigh forenoon of the 21st, final limit of tickets October 23rd.

The Seaboard will arrange to operate special trains from Weldon, Oxford, Louisburg, Hamlet and intermediate points to Raleigh on Wednesday and Thursday October 18th and 19th.

For further information apply to nearest Ticket Agent, or address,

C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent, Raleigh, N. C.
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DOING THEIR DUTY.

Scores of Wilmington Readers are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys.

To filter the blood is the kidneys' duty.

When they fail to do this the kidneys are sick.

Backache and many kidney ills follows:

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Doan's Kidney Pills cure them all

Policeman R. E. Smith, who lives with his family at 213 Boundry street, Goldsboro, N. C., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and have been very well pleased with them. They did me so much good that we decided to try them on our little boy who seemed to be suffering from a weakness of the kidneys. He could not hold his urine and we have had to lift him out of bed several times a night or he would pass it in his sleep. Since giving him the pills we have been entirely relieved of this annoyance. My trouble was with my back. I always had a pain right across the small of it, and the secretions were dark colored and heavy with sediment. Since I used the pills my back is much stronger and does not ache at all and the urine has been cleared up to a natural condition. I certainly advise all sufferers from kidney troubles to try them."

Plenty more proof like this from Wilmington people. Call at R. R. Bellamy's drug store and ask what customers report.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

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Full of Tragic Meaning.

are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think what might have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which he writes: "I had a fearful cough, that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which completely cured me." Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases; prevents grip and pneumonia. At R. R. Bellamy, druggist; guaranteed; 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

New Cure for Cancer.

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Jas. Walters, of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

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and the ordinary shirt is the difference between these two pictures—between comfort and discomfort. The Cluett goes "on and off like a coat." Fast color fabrics and white. $1.50 and more at best stores.

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Largest makers of Shirts and Collars in the world.

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The New Way
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The Cheap Way
to make Ice Cream

No cooking, heating or fussing. One package makes two quarts of fine Ice Cream.

Four kinds: Vanilla, Chocolate, Strawberry and Unflavored.

Two packages, 25 cents at all grocers.

If your grocer hasn't it, send his name and 25c. to us and two packages and our illustrated recipe book will be mailed you.

The Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N.Y.

SPECIAL LOW RATES TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

One fare plus 25 cents, account of the American Bankers' Association, October 10th to 13th, 1905.

Tickets on sale October 8th and 9th, final return limit October 15th, 1905.

An extension of the final limit may be secured to October 25th, 1905, by deposit of ticket with the Special Agent, Mr. Joseph Richardson, Washington, D. C., between the hours of 8:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M., daily except Sunday, or between the hours of 9:00 A. M. and 12 noon, and 3:00 P. M. and 6:00 P. M. on Sundays not earlier than October 8th, not later than October 15th, 1905, and upon payment of fee of fifty (50) cents at time of deposit.

For further information apply to your nearest ticket agent, or communicate with

W. J. CRAIG,
General Passenger Agent,
Wilmington, N. C.

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Don't Borrow Trouble.

It is a bad habit to borrow anything, but the worst thing you can possibly borrow, is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and worn-out by the pains and poisons of dyspepsia, biliousness, Bright's disease, and similar internal disorders, don't sit down and brood over your symptoms, but fly for relief to Electric Bitters. Here you will find sure and permanent forgetfulness of all your troubles, and your body will not be burdened by a load of debt disease. At R. R. Bellamy's drug store. Price 50c. Guaranteed.

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Norfolk, Double Breasted, Sailor and Eton Suits, all choice fabrics, the wearing qualities are of the best.

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Boys' School Knee Trousers, made from strong well wearing materials, Sizes 5 to 16 years—

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YOUTHS' SUITS.

Youths' Double Breasted Suits, handsome Worsteds and Cheviots; the suits are all cut in the new lengths and exceptionally well made, sizes 14 to 17 years.

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BOYS' BLOUSES.

Boys' School Blouses, in white and neat patterns; all sizes.

50c., 75c., $1.00.

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ACCOUNT

North Carolina State Fair

Tickets on sale October 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th, with final return limit October 23d.

TICKETS INCLUDE ADMISSION TO FAIR GROUNDS.

Thursday, October 19th, will be President's Day, on which day President Roosevelt will be the guest of the Fair, being at Raleigh from 9:00 A. M. to 1:00 P. M. The feature of this day will be an address by the President at 11:30 A. M. This is an opportunity that should not be missed by the Public; a chance to visit Raleigh and the Fair, which is the largest in the State, at such an exceptionally low rate.

For further information, 'Phone No. 160.

W. J. CRAIG,
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Water Ground Virginia Meal

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4 06 a m	Lv.	Chester	Lv. 1 20 a m
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7 50 p m	Lv.	Jacksonville	Ar. 8 55 a m
12 10 a m	Lv.	Savannah	Lv. 4 50 a m
5 20 a m	Lv.	Columbia	Lv. 12 30 a m
6 24 a m	Lv.	Camden	Lv. 12 24 a m
8 35 a m	Ar.	Hamlet	Lv. 10 15 p m
8 40 a m	Lv.	Hamlet	Ar. 7 35 p m
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	7 23 p	Ar.	Charlotte	Lv. 10 08 a
	5 01 a	Lv.	Monroe	Ar. 10 45 p
	6 45 a	Lv.	Hamlet	Lv. 9 55 p
	7 20 a	Ar.	Hamlet	Lv. 7 55 p
4 40 p	8 40 a	Lv.	Maxton	Ar. 7 35 p 11 05 a
25 p	9 25 a	Lv.	Lumberton	Lv. 6 40 p 10 18 a
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Schedule Effective Sept. 17, 1905.

No. 1 Daily.	No. 3 Daily.	Eastern Time.	No. 2 Daily.	No. 4 Daily.
A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.
8 00	3 45	Lv Goldsboro Ar	11 20	7 50
8 21	4 06	Lv Best's Ar	10 58	7 29
8 31	4 18	Lv LaGrange Ar	10 47	7 18
8 43	4 30	Lv Fall'g Cr'k Ar	10 35	7 05
8 56	4 55	Lv Kinston Ar	10 22	6 52
9 12	4 57	Lv Caswell Ar	10 03	6 38
9 23	5 07	Lv Dover Ar	9 58	6 28
9 41	5 21	Lv Cove Ar	9 41	6 02
10 10	5 52	Ar Newbern Lv	9 10	5 40
10 15	5 57	Lv Newbern Ar	9 05	5 35
10 34	6 20	Lv Riverdale Ar	8 03	5 12
10 38	6 24	Lv Croatan Ar	8 39	5 09
10 50	6 38	Lv Havelock Ar	8 27	4 57
11 06	6 54	Lv Newport Ar	8 11	4 41
11 12	7 00	Lv Wildwood Ar	8 05	4 35
11 30	7 20	Ar M'r'h'd C'y Lv	7 50	4 20
11 40	7 30	Ar M. C'y D'pt'	7 40	4 10

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9.00 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	9.45 A. M.
2.00 P. M.	12.15 A. M.
3.00 P. M.	2.45 P. M.
4.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
6.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.
7.30 P. M.	6.45 P. M.
8.00 P. M.	8.15 P. M.
10.00 P. M.	9.15 P. M.
11.30 P. M.	10.45 P. M.

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Schedule in Effect, June 6, 1905.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 35 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 35 a m	5 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	11 00 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv Wilmingt'n	6 00 am	3 45 pm	5 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	3 55 am
Ar Charlest'n	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	6 45 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar Jack'ville	.....	8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar. 8 00 p m
Ar. Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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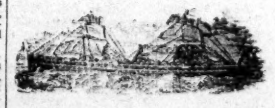

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Friday Morning, October 6.

YELLOW FEVER RECORD QUITE DISCOURAGING

Eighteen New Cases at Pensacola and 28 at New Orleans—Despair at Natchez.

By Wire to The Morning Star

New Orleans, October 5.—The following is the official yellow fever report at New Orleans up to 6 P. M. today:

New cases today, 28.
Total to date, 3,122.
Deaths today, 3.
Total deaths to date, 403.
New foci, 6.
Under treatment, 193.
Discharged, 2,526.

Of the 193 cases now under treatment less than 25 are above Canal street which means that the upper part of the city is practically clear of fever. Of the other cases, 36 are in the Emergency Hospital which had only one admission today.

Dr. White is planning to send a marine hospital officer to Patterson as well as the lower LaFourche country to clean up the infection there, but desires first to be assured of the hearty co-operation of the people in those localities. This is not always forthcoming as in the case of Scranton on the Mississippi coast and of Hamburg, Miss.

The following reports from the country were received today: Kenner, one new case; Terre Bonne parish(two days), 12 new cases; Amelia and Bayou L'Ourse (three days), 7 new cases, one death; La Place and vicinity (seven days), 26 cases and 4 deaths; Barataria, three cases.

Reporting on the situation at Baton Rouge. Dr. Corput says that the situation there presents a striking example of what can be done by an effective mosquito fight in the Southern cities. As soon as the fever appeared there Baton Rouge started a mosquito crusade with the result that when a case developed there were scarcely any stegomyia in the town and has been practically no spread of the disease. The results show that yellow fever cases can be introduced in any community without danger if the proper precautions have been taken to destroy the transmitting agency.

Mississippi Epidemic.

Jackson, Miss., October 5.—The Mississippi yellow fever summary for the 24 hours period is as follows:

Port Gibson, 13 new cases, one death.

Hamburg, 3 new cases, one suspicious case. Two patients expected to die during the night. Additional trained nurses have arrived.

Natchez, six new cases, 5 new foci, no deaths.

Vicksburg, 4 new cases in the city, 2 cases in the country, no deaths.

Gulfport, 3 new cases, no deaths.

Seria City, one new case. This is a suburb of Gulfport.

Moss Point and Scranton, no new cases.

[illegible] four new cases, no deaths.

[illegible] 3 new cases, 2 deaths.

New Cases at Vicksburg.

[illegible]g, Miss., Oct. 5.—The yellow fever figures to date are: New cases [illegible] total to date, 135. Total deaths [illegible] Total foci, 5. Total cases under treatment, 40.

Discouraged at Natchez.

Natchez, Miss., Oct. 5.—The following is the yellow fever situation summary up to 6 o'clock this evening:

New cases, 6; total to date, 121. Total deaths, 7. New foci, 54; total, 43. Cases under treatment, 27. Discharged, 5. Of the six new cases reported today, five presented new foci and four are white. The people are becoming somewhat discouraged and many believe that only frost can bring an end to the visitation. Dr. Lavinder and the pastors of the city churches today addressed a citizen's meeting urging renewed fight against the mosquito.

Eighteen New Cases at Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 5.—The official summary for today is as follows:

New cases today, 18; total to date 183. Deaths today, 3; total, 35. Cases discharged to date, 78. Cases under treatment, 90.

The somewhat increased number of new cases is accounted for partly by the fact that following the bad weather of several days previous, the physicians have been able to locate and diagnose cases that were not reported in the early stage. Another cause is believed to be that the people who at first opposed the efforts of the health authorities are now realizing the seriousness of the situation and are giving some aid in reporting new cases. One of the deaths today was that of a seaman on the German ship Kaiser, making a total of three deaths.

DESPERATE NEGRO THIEF.

Stole Tray of Diamonds and Ran Amuck With Knife.

By Wire to The Morning Star

New York, Oct. 5.—In broad daylight and with hundreds of people on the street, Louis Brown, a negro, made an attempt to rob a Maiden Lane jewelry store of $2,000 worth of gems today. His attempt was frustrated by Oscar Windorf, a clerk who grappled with the would be thief and who was stabbed by the negro during the fight. Brown is a carrier for jewelry salesmen. To-day he entered the store of Cross & Beguin and asked to see some jewelry. Windorf noticed the negro put a tray of jewels under his coat and immediately seized him. Brown drew a knife and slashed the clerk until he finally got free. A chase of several blocks followed, Brown slinging right and left with his weapon as he rushed through the crowd. He was finally captured by a police officer whom he attempted unsuccessfully to stab. Windorf was not seriously injured.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American.

First game: Washington, 0; Philadelphia, 8.

Second game: Washington, 7; Philadelphia, 9.

Boston, 10; New York, 5.

Cleveland, 0; Detroit, 7.

National.

First game: Brooklyn, 11; Boston, 5.

Second game: Brooklyn, 2; Boston, 1.

First game: New York, 1; Philadelphia, 4.

Second game: New York, 5; Philadelphia, 3.

MADE MILLIONS IN FEW YEARS

Startling Developments in the Insurance Investigation in New York Yesterday

GOLD MINING LAID IN SHADE

In Few Years Two Members of Family of President of Mutual Life Scooped in $2,400,000—To Prosecute Boodlers.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Oct. 5. — That the astounding total of more than $2,400,000 has been paid as commissions by the Mutual Life Insurance Company to two members of the family of Richard A. McCurdy, and the promise of District Attorney Jerome that the insurance scandals certainly will be submitted later to an extraordinary grand jury were the sensational developments in the insurance situation today.

It was brought out by testimony before the legislative insurance committee that Robert H. McCurdy, a son of Richard A. McCurdy, has received as commissions on foreign business $1,163,829 and on domestic business $541,852, and that Louis A. Thebaud, son-in-law of Richard A. McCurdy, has received an aggregate of $920,113 in commissions from the company. It was also brought out that Robert H. McCurdy expected his income this year would be about $110,000.

Previous to this testimony, W. F. Thummell, an attorney of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, testified that he had paid to the chairman of the Republican congressional organization committee the sum of $2,500 in cash as a campaign contribution.

Another incident of the day's developments was the publication of a letter from Charles E. Hughes, counsel of the legislative committee, to Samuel Untermyer, counsel for James H. Hyde, the former controlling stockholder of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, in which Mr. Hughes said the committee would make no discrimination in favor of Mr. Hyde in his examination before the committee.

The Chamber of Commerce at its meeting to-day adopted a resolution declaring that additional legislation is necessary for the proper regulation of life insurance companies.

W. F. Thummell, the attorney who was associated with Judge Andrew Hamilton, is looking after legislation for the New York Life, the Equitable Life and the Mutual Life Insurance Companies, in the so-called legislative pool that was exposed last week, testified before the committee that he was now employed as an attorney for the Mutual Life Insurance Company, at a salary of $7,200 a year. Mr. Thummell said that he personally placed in the hands of the chairman of the Republican congressional campaign committee $2,500 in cash, which had been given the witness for that purpose by Vice-President Robert A. Granniss, of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. Witness said the contribution had been suggested by the danger of a Democratic House, that would result in tariff and other legislation of a character to upset business and affect policy-holders. He said other companies had been asked to contribute, but he did not know how many did. Mr. Thummell denied paying any money to any legislator for the purpose of influencing legislation or to any other person for that purpose. He described the legislative position and said that the expenses were met by the company looking after the territory in which expenses were incurred, and later an adjustment of these expenses was made between the three companies. He had received money from the New York Life in these adjustments, but kept no account of his disbursements. He said the Mutual Life had paid out in 1904 about $15,000 for legislative work.

In reply to a question as to the division of legal expenses among the New York Life Insurance Comapny and the Equitable Life Assurance Society, Mr. Thummell said: "The Mutual Life has Virginia, North Carolina, Alabama, Kentucky, Ohio, Michigan, Minnesota, Washington, Oregon, New Mexico. The Equitable attends to Maryland, South Carolina, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas, Colorado, Arkansas, California, Nevada. The New York Life had Indiana. Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Tennessee, and Oklahoma. The rest of the territory is open."

It was at this point that Robert H. McCurdy was called. He held a number of documents in his hand as he mounted the platform, and when he had been sworn, he testified that he was the general manager of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. His powers, he said, were delegated to him by the president and vice-presidents of the company. His duties were principally confined to the supervision of the agency system of the company in this country and abroad. Like Mr. Perkins, of the New York Life Insurance Company, he appeared to be the one factor that built up the foreign business of his company. His salary was $30,000.

Mr. McCurdy had a typewritten statement of his career which he asked permission to read. This detailed his various compensations, contracts and commissions. There were a number of reductions in the commission which he said were made at his own request, owing to the foreseen success of the foreign business. This foreign business was inaugurated because of the success attained by the New York Life Insurance Company and the Equitable Life Assurance Society. Mr. McCurdy started this foreign business in 1885, and assumed the office of general manager in 1903 at a salary of $20,000.

The most startling part of Mr. McCurdy's testimony was made just before the recess, when he submitted a statement of his profits, or the revenue from his contracts, on the foreign business of the company. From 1886 to 1902, while he was a member of the firm of C. H. Raymond & Co., the metropolitan agents of the Mutual Insurance Company, his profits were $209,123. Under his contract with the firm he paid one half, or $104,561, to Mr. Raymond, and from 1903, when he left the firm down to August 31, 1905, his commissions were $1,059,267, making a total personal revenue from the foreign business from 1886 to 1905, of $1,163,829.

During the period of his connection with the firm of C. H. Raymond & Co., Mr. McCurdy, according to his own testimony, has received his share of the profits on the business of the Mutual Life Insurance Company written by his firm as the Metropolitan agents. This sum Mr. McCurdy was unable to give any estimate upon and later in the day when Mr. McCurdy was called, it was brought out that these profits amounted to $541,982 net, or after his share of the expenses of the firm's profits had been deducted. This made a total of $1,705,681 that Mr. McCurdy received in commissions.

In 1893 when Mr. McCurdy retired from the firm of C. H. Raymond & Co., he was succeeded by Louis A. Thebaud, a son-in-law of President Richard A. McCurdy of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. He was practically under the same contract as Robert McCurdy, and from 1893 down to 1904 he received in commissions of first premiums and renewals the sum of $920,113. All these amounts were in addition to salaries paid Mr. McCurdy and Mr. Thebaud. Mr. Charles H. Raymond who was called to the stand to supply the figures of profits that Mr. McCurdy was unable to produce, occupied the stand for the remainder of the session. He was examined as to the scope and territory of his business, and the amount of commission he received from the Mutual Life Insurance Company as well as the amount his firm paid sub-agents. was closely inquired into. Mr. Raymond's examination was not finished when the committee adjourned for the day.

Edward I. Devlin, the real estate manager for the New York Life Insurance Company, was the first witness of the day having been called to conclude his testimony interrupted by the adjournment yesterday. Mr. Devlin presented statements as to the real estate holdings of his company in several western cities. These showed that but from one to three per cent. was realized last year on the company's investments in buildings, but he added that it was expected that four per cent. would be realized this year..

Jerome Will Prosecute Boodlers.

New York, Oct. 5.—District Attorney William T. Jerome announced in a statement to Justice Davis in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court today that he intended to present to a extraordinary grand jury the revelations affecting the conduct of the life insurance business which have been made before the legislative investigation committee. Mr. Jerome said the inquiry by this committee has shown greater moral obliquity and moral obtuseness on the part of persons inportant in the business world than did the "shocking revelations," in regard to the Equitable Life. He said there was public excitement and a sense of outrage at what had been done, and that it would undoubtedly meet with general commendation if he were to select certain individual transactions and place them before the grand jury at once. However, he regarded it as his duty to wait until the investigating committee had completed its work and then to ask an extraordinary grand jury and lay before it the matters disclosed by his own study of the situation, as well as that of others. This he said he intended to do.

UNION MILL TROUBLES.

Plan to Liquidate $5,000,000 of Indebtness—Assets $3,000,000.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 5.—A special from Union, S. C., to The Observer says that the directors of the Union and Buffalo cotton mills, which have just undergone a complete reorganization, in an all day session today, considered the matter of liquidating the liabilities of the two corporations which jointly amount to about $5,000,000 with plants worth $3,500,000. Just what steps will be taken to accomplish this end have not definitely been settled upon, this matter being left in the hands of an executive committee composed of H. C. Fleitman, of New York; William Winchester, Baltimore; John A. Law, Spartanburg; and E. W. Robertson, president and treasurer ex-officio, chairman. This committee will meet at an early date when definite plans will be announced. The task is a considerable one but with the aid and co-operation of stockholders and creditors and with the confidence that is being restored, now that wild rumors have been supplanted by definite facts, it is believed that they can successfully accomplish their purpose, though it will require time.

It is learned that the big power company's plant at Neal's Shoals and the Union and Glenn Springs railroad, which connects Union with the Seaboard Air Line, are not connected with the Union and Buffalo mills in any way and apparently are not affected by their troubles.

CAROLINA'S SENSATION.

Glenn Williams Cases Continued at Greensboro—Conspiracy Trial.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 5.—A special to the Observer from Greensboro says there was scarcely standing room in the Federal court auditorium this morning, the expectation being that the beginning of the end of the now famous Williams' cases would be witnessed. They were disappointed, however, when on opening of court Judge James E. Boyd announced that he had decided to continue the cases against N. Glenn Williams, the Old Nick Williams Company at D. E. Kennedy till October 24th, provided counsel for defendants would withdraw technical objections to the indictments and enter pleas of not guilty in all the cases. The proposition was accepted and the cases were set for that date. The remainder of the morning session was consumed in the trial of small cases.

The court room was again packed with defendants, witnesses, attorneys and spectators at the afternoon session when the first conspiracy case, that against G. W. Samuels, an ex-revenue officer, was called for trial, District Attorney Holton speaking for the government and Cy Watson for the defendant. Less than one hour was consumed in securing a jury, when court adjourned till tomorrow.

At Chicago yesterday the 10th consecutive day of cross-examination of former Captain Oberlin M. Carter by attorneys for the Federal government was continued. A short letter written eight years ago, which is expected to prove Carter's right to the $600,000 in controversy was introduced in evidence by counsel for the defense. Among Carter's deposits of December 23, 1896, was a note for $90 signed by R. F. Westcott, the defendant's father-in-law. Carter explained that the note was for borrowed money.

THE CARNIVAL OF DISHONESTY

New York Bank President Denounces Corruption and Graft in High Places

RESPONSIBLE FOR SOCIALISM

We Have Fallen Upon Conditions Which Caused the Downfall of the Roman Republic—Must Awake to Danger.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Annapolis, Md., October 5.—Dishonesty in high places in the State, the judiciary, and great financial institutions and corporations, and palliation of such acts by the masses, gravely threaten the future of the country, according of views expressed to-day by J. Edward Simmons, president of the Fourth National Bank, of New York, in an address before the Maryland Bankers' Association. He pointed to the lessons taught by the fall of the ancient Roman republic, the reign of terror in France and the disasters which befell Russian arms in the recent conflict in the far East, all of which, he said, were due to palliated dishonesty.

"I hear voices from the East and voices from the west," said he, "ill boding voices, voices from the pulpit and the divine, voices from the college and the educator, and voices from the bench and the bar, voices from the press and it's sages, the voice of the President himself denouncing in ringing tones and deploring the universal spread of selfishness in the meanest and most repulsive form—the form of dishonesty. They bewail one universal carnival of dishonesty. Alas, these voices are not unconfirmed. "He deplored the condition which have led men to tolerate the terms "graft" and "grafters" and said he feared the very use of the words was an indication of men's tolerance of a thief and his trade. He called upon the members of the association to give their assistance in remedying a condition which makes it possible "for men who pose as the salt of the earth and who condemn, without reserve, those who steal fifty dollars or forge a check for a hundred dollars, or accept a bribe, to themselves make millions by lying, by misrepresentation, by fraud and by bribery," without receiving punishment or even criticism, while the man who steals the paltry sum is sent to jail. He denounced the man of stainless private life who, "in the interest of corporations, of the trust, of the gas company, of the railroad company, of the insurance company, have recourse to every villiany namned in the Decalogue; who does the deed of a highwayman with the air of a saint."

Mr. Simmons said that the working and dangers of great corporation and multi-millionaire enterprises have not been, and are not as fully understood as their advantages. He believed that their dark side should be investigated and set out as lucidly and [illegible] as the bright side. He re[illegible] growth of the Socialist [illegible] shown by the last Pre[illegible] tions as due largely to [illegible] said, that the masses [illegible] tunes accummulated [illegible] means and when so [illegible] combined to smother in[illegible] prise. He believed, hov[illegible] situation was not wit[illegible] the very fact that th[illegible] awakened to the condi[illegible] fearless and able men [illegible] and leading a campaign [illegible] honesty are grounds for hope that a far-reaching remedial process has already begun.

RAILROAD RATE LEGISLATION.

President Roosevelt and Congressman Townsend Confer—Mean Business

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, October 5.—Railroad rate legislation was the topic of a long conference between the President and Representative Townsend, of Michigan, one of the authors of the Esch-Townsend bill. Mr. Townsend said afterward that it was his purpose to have his bill in readiness for introduction in the House as soon as Congress convened. He continued:

"After making it perfectly clear that the provisions of the measure apply to private cars, refrigerator cars and terminal charges, it will be my purpose, through the measure to confer upon the Interstate Commerce Commission power to make its findings, in any particular case effective in a reasonable time after they are announced. Efforts have been made to create the impression that it is the purpose of the advocates of this legislation to give the Interstate Commerce Commission the authority to fix all the rates of a railroad. That is not true. It is intended only that the commission, if complaint shall be made to it that any particular rate is unjust, shall have power, after due investigation to substitute a reasonable rate in case the complaint shall have been shown to be well founded.

"Do you expect that rate legislation will be enacted during the approaching session of Congress?"

"I have no doubt of it," replied Mr. Townsend. "The House has indicated where it stands on that proposition and I believe there is a strong working majority in the Senate in favor of such a measure."

TWO FATAL ACCIDENTS.

Seaboard Air Line Engineer and Brakeman Injured Near Raleigh.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 5.—Two probably fatal accidents occurred on the Seaboard Air Line, near Raleigh, today. Engineer J. B. Clayton was caught between two cars at Cameron, his collar bone, left shoulder, seven ribs and his nose being broken. There may also be internal injuries. A drawhead had pulled out and the cars were locked together with a heavy chain. Clayton thought too, there was much slack, and leaving his engine in charge of the fireman, he went to investigate. He stepped between the cars which rolled together catching him between the shoulders.

Sydney Young, a brakeman, was fatally injured later in the day on another train. He had run ahead of the engine at Apex to open a switch and stumbled so that he fell under the engine, the wheels passing over his left leg full length; also, grinding his hip almost to pulp. Physicians say there is no hope of recovery.

WOMAN AND MAN BURGLARS AND DIAMOND SMUGGLERS

Couple Arrested In Chicago For Stealing Thousands of Dollars Worth of Diamonds and Valuables.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Chicago, October 5.—Two burglars of international reputation, it is believed, are now in the custody of the government in this city. Efforts are being made by Edward L. Montgomery, step son of Isaac F. Lloyd, vice president of the Mutual Life Insurance company, to have the pair taken to New York. Henry Hoffman, who has a number of aliases and who was arrested on charges of smuggling diamonds through the port of Galveston, is one of the persons under arrest. Mrs. Henry Schiller, who also has numerous other cognomens, is the other prisoner. The specific charge of which the prisoners are held is smuggling. Instead of being merely smugglers, however, it is now alleged that Hoffman and his companion were implicated in burglaries in London and at least two large burglaries in New York city.

According to government officials both prisoners have confessed to having robbed the home of Mr. Lloyd, where the woman was employed, and was apparently a perfect servant. Hundreds of dollars worth of diamonds and silver confiscated by the government when Hoffman and Mrs. Schiller were arrested, has practically been identified by Mr. Montgomery as having been taken from the Lloyd home in New York. At the time of the burglarizing of the Lloyd home articles to the value of $30,000 are said to have been taken. Another charge which may be placed against the accused is that of robbing the Ansonia Hotel in New York of thousands of dollars worth of jewelry and clothing.

Mrs. Schiller is known as an expert impersonator of men. Silk hats and various other articles of men's attire were found in her room.

WARM WIRELETS.

In New York yesterday an operation for appendicitis was performed on August Belmont, the banker. The operation was reported by the officiating surgeons to have been entirely successful, and Mr. Belmont is expected to recover rapidly.

In New York yesterday in response to a letter of inquiry from a member of the Royal Arcanum, Senator Armstrong, chairman of the legislative insurance investigating committee wrote yesterday that "we intend to devote sometime to fraternal insurance before we finish our labors."

At Philadelphia yesterday, the Carriage Builders' National Association elected as vice-presidents, Chas. P. Henderson; Valdosta, Ga.; W. T. Jones, Carthage, N. C.; Owen Lilly, Memphis, Tenn.; Charles G. Bosher, Richmond, Va. The next convention will be held at Atlanta, Ga.

The Seaboard Air Line yesterday bought Grassy Island at the mouth of Hillsborough river, Fla., paying $25,000 for the property. The road will use the island [illegible]on of extensive term[illegible]nvolving an outlay [illegible]

[illegible]t Philadel[illegible]suspicious cases of [illegible]bark [illegible]lie Baker f[illegible]ch is [illegible]ld up at th[illegible]e station at Marcus [illegible]nvestigation by the [illegible]Two the bark's c[illegible] will carefully w[illegible]ns of low fever.

The steame[illegible] from [illegible]n Francisco [illegible] went [illegible]shore yester[illegible]Punta [illegible]orda, a short [illegible]f the entrance to E[illegible], during a dense fo[illegible]assengers on board, all of whom were safely landed on the beach. The vessel which was laden with a cargo of general merchandise will probably be a total loss.

In a collision between a Louisville and Nashville light engine and a Southern Railway freight near Boyles, Ala., yesterday, H. E. Abercrombie, of Villa Rica, Ga., extra fireman on the Southern, was killed, and M. Fulmham, engineer, Brakeman Davis, and Fireman Glass, of the Southern, and Engineer Jones and Conductor Stewart, of the Louisville and Nashville, were injured.

Right Rev. A. Van DeVyver, Catholic bishop of Richmond, denies that he has hesigned, or is about to offer his resignation to the congregation of the propaganda of Rome. "I expect to live and die in Richmond," said Bishop Van DeVyver yesterday in reply to the queery if he had heard anything from Rome in reference to his appointment as successor to Mgr. Chappelle, as archbishop of New Orleans.

The stay in Canada of Colonel John F. Gaynor and Captain Benjamin D. Grene were prolonged 24 hours by the non-arrival of the extradition warrants from Quebec where they were countersigned by the Lieutenant Governor on Wednesday. The papers were expected at Montreal, early yesterday, but when the court house closed at 6 P. M., they had not arrived. They are expected in this morning's mail.

The continued firmness in cotton goods led to actual advances in several lines in the New York drygoods market yesterday, others being placed at value. The effect of this week's developments in the print cloth market was unmistakably shown. Jobbers did an active business. Trade has this week been almost as active as it was in September.

Among the postmasters appointed by the President yesterday was John C. B. Morton at Morehead City, N. C.

Wesley Hale, colored, was hanged at Birmingham yesterday for complicity in the murder of Ed. Almon, a flagman of the Louisville and Nashville railroad at Oxmoor, Ala., on the night of January 3rd last. On the scaffold, Hale said he was not guilty. Previously he had made a confession of his guilt.

In New York yesterday a reduction of bail for Henry A. Leonard, the young man who stole $359,000 worth of securities from the National City Bank last week from $25,000 to $10,000, was made by Magistrate Pool. Leonard found difficulty in securing the larger amount. Magistrate Pool refused the request of the National City Bank that he order the police to turn over to the bank the stolen securities, which are in their possession. The magistrate would not accept the offer of the bank to furnish the police with substitutes for the securities as evidence. A bank official said that the securities were costing $37 a day in interest charges.

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WATER COMMISSION MET.

Alderman Johnson Empowered to Employ Expert to Examine Conditions.

The Water Commission was in session for three hours last night and discussed exhaustively the municipal ownership proposition. There were present Messrs. H. C. McQueen, Matt J. Heyer, Aldermen E. F. Johnson, R. W. Price, J. O. Brown and President Geo. W. Kidder and Supt. Wm. F. Robertson, of the Clarendon Water Works Co., the two last named by invitation. Serious doubts were expressed by some members of the Commission as to whether or not an adequate supply of water for all purposes could be secured from an artesian well system, but it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of an expert whom Alderman Johnson was empowered to employ.

The gentleman representing the Clarendon Water Works Co., discussed the situation very frankly with those present. They said their company was even at the present engaged in artesian well experiments, but they doubted the success of the effort.

At Knoxville, Tenn yesterday a mistrial resulted in the case charging "criminal neglicence" against W. B. Caldwell, who was conductor on one of the trains wrecked on the Southern railroad near New Market, Tenn., September 14, 1904. Caldwell was prosecuted by Judge C. W. Heiskell, of Memphis, whose son, Clayton Heiskell was one of the sixty1four persons killed in the wreck. The prosecution's has resigned, or is about to offer his agent of the Southern, who testified that Caldwell admitted to him at the scene of the wreck that the accident was caused by Caldwell's forgetting orders.

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Phone 162. Office No. 109 Princess St.
J. VAN B. METTS.
Sept. 29-tf.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS!

The Star will send, without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messengers to your place of business or residence for advertisements for our Business Locals department. 'Phone the Star Office, No. 51.

Rates—Twenty-five cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word. Positively, cash in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co.; or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes and small packages. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for advertisements always call the Star Office, 'Phone 51.

STAR BRANCHES.

For the benefit of those who may find it more convenient, advertisements may be left at the following Branch Offices, where they will receive as prompt and careful attention as if left at the Star Office, and with no additional cost to the advertiser.

JAS. M. HALL'S DRUG STORE—Corner 5th and Castle streets. Phone 192.

W. C. MUNDS' DRUG STORE—Corner 7th and Orange streets. Phone 554.

WM. NIESTLIE, DRUGGIST—S. W. Corner 7th and Red Cross streets. Phone 216.

P. O. HALL'S DRUG STORE—S. E. corner 4th and Harnett streets, Phone 68.

BULLUCK'S DRUG STORE—313 North Front street. Phone 150.

L. B. SASSER'S DRUG STORE—Corner 8th and Market streets. Phone 135.

SOUTH-SIDE DRUG COMPANY—Corner Front and Castle street. Phone 278.

LOST.—ON FRONT STREET, between Singer Sewing Machine Office and Grace street, or on Grace between Front and Second, a purse containing one $5.00 bill, one $2.00 bill a $1.00 and about 75c in change. Reward if left at Star office. 1t.

PHONE NO. 609.—HANOVER IRON Works Co., Plumbers and Tinners. We have moved to No. 2 South Water Street. W. E. King, Manager. oc6-tf

FOR SALE.—RED RIPPER HAY Press and one Deering Mowing Machine. Condition. Address D., East Arcadia, N. C. 1tp

GIRLS CAN MAKE $8.00 PER WEEK right here in the city by sending application promptly to address below. No previous experience necessary. Address R. M. A., General Delivery, City. oc5-1w

LOST—A PAIR OF SPECTACLES with nickel-plated rims and bows. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Star Office. oc5-3t

WANTED AT ONCE AT THE DIXIE Cafe two good cooks; men or women. 117 Princess street. oc5-tf

WANTED-A FIRST CLASS LAUNdress. Apply to Mrs. Lucas, 315 So., 3rd St., Phone 371. Oct 4-3t

FOR THE BEST BUTTER, CHEESE, New Crop Dried Fruits and all kinds of Maple and family groceries or Country Produce, call Phone 547. We give Southern Trading Stamps with cash sales. Prompt delivery and satisfaction guaranteed. S. F. Craig. oct4tf

WANTED—TWO LADY DRY-GOODS clerks of experience. Adress A. X., care of Star Office. oc4-3t

FOR SALE—GASOLENE AUXILIARY Schooner "Admiral," 29 tons, draws four and a half feet loaded, fast sailer and in splendid condition, has eighteen horse power Wolverine Engine. Good reason for selling. For further information, address Fenerstein & Co., Norfolk, Va. oc3-10t

WE HAVE FOR RENT, A TENroom house with all conveniences on Dock, between Front and Second, west side, $25; one on Tenth between Chestnut and Grace, 6 rooms, $15; Desirable store just vacated by Atlantic Trust and Banking Co.; two rooms, suitable for offices or sleeping apartments, upstairs in same building. Apply to M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. oct1-tf

FOR SALE — YOUNG PARROTS, guaranteed to talk. German Imported Hartz Mountain Talking Parrots, and St. Andraesburg Roller Canaries. Low prices. W. B. McDaniel, No. 5 North Front street. sep30-6t*

WANTED—BAD DEBTS TO COLlect in all parts of the United States; 25 years' experience; no collection, no charge. Richmond's Bad Debt Agency, P. O. Box, No. 109. Richmond, Va. sep30-2w

NEW RIVER OYSTER STEWS, Coots and Soft Shell Crabs at the Dixie Cafe, 117 Princess street. sep30-tf

NEW ARRIVALS.—CARLOAD N. Y. State Produce. Apples, Cabbage, Potatoes and Onions. Full Stock Butter, Cheese and Lemons. Out-of-town orders receive prompt attention. W. E. Worth & Co. sep29-tf

PIANO MOVING—WE HAVE EXPEriened draymen who will move your piano anywhere in the city or box and ship it for you. Stieff's, Cor. Front and Grace Streets. Phone 1103. sep27-tf

WANTED CUSTOMERS FOR FINEST Butter and Cheese on the market. A full line of up-to-date Groceries and Country Produce. We give Southern Trading Stamps. S. F. Craig. 'Phone 547. sep12-tf

GROUND PROSPHATE LIME—GOOD for Peanuts, Potatoes, all kinds of Truck, Wheat, Oats and Clover. Considerable high grade of phosphate rock in the carbonate of lime. Analysis 80 to 85 per cent. pure carbonate of lime. For prices write B. F. Keith, Wilmington, N. C. je11-tf

DO YOU WISH TO RENT A HOUSE, or have you a house to let? If so, advertise in this column of the Star. jy28-tf

WE HAVE ONE OF THE TWO LOTS advertised yesterday on Chesnut between Fifth and Sixth streets. One left, size 33 feet on Chesnut by 66 feet deep; contains one-story cottage house. Fine Location; best apply at once to J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate and Renting Agents. sep24-tf

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GENTLEMEN DESIRING FURNISHed Rooms can communicate, or apply for information at B., 113 South Fifth street. sept3-tf

CABBAGE, APPLES, ONIONS AND Irish Potatoes for sale. A. S. Winstead, 213 Market street. sep17-tf

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